



CALTRANS COMMUTER ALERT

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STATE ROUTE 91 OPENING DELAYED

RIVERSIDE- State Route 91 will re open one lane in the eastbound direction this morning at approximately 11AM. Additional lanes will open as construction permits.

During the closure, motorists are warned that eastbound traffic should proceed with caution, as all traffic will exit 14th Street to follow the detour route. This detour will take traffic back to the 60/215 freeways at Central Avenue. The detour is expected to add at least 30 minutes of travel time. Signs will be posted to guide motorists.

From EB 91 to NB 215/WB 60:

Exit onto 14th Street off ramp, turn right, 14th turns into Martin Luther King, right on Canyon Crest Drive, left on Central Avenue, and onto NB 215.

From EB 60 to NB215:

Continue east on the 60/215, exit University Avenue, turn left under the freeway, and right on the on ramp to the NB 215.

Motorists are advised to use alternate routes. **Motorists from Orange County and southern Riverside County**, bound for San Bernardino and other points of the Inland Empire, are advised to **use the I-15 north to I-10 east**.

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Motorists are advised to merge early and to follow all advisory signs through the construction area. Slow down! This is a CONE ZONE. Reducing speeds through a construction zone saves lives- possibly your own!

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